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SILISTRA OKOLIYA HIGHWAYS IN BAD CONDITION -- Sofia Izgrev, 22 Jun 50

The highways of Silistra Okoliya between Ishirkovo and Silistra, between Pogorovo and Fopkralevo, and between Garvan and Nova Popina are in very poor condition. The same is true of the highway between Sitovo and Sitovo Station, Babuk and Babuk Station, and between Sreburna and Vetren.

Only the Garvan-Nova Popina highway has been repaired so far, whereas the others remain in a deplorable condition; heaps of stones, to be used for surfacing and pressing, have accumulated for many years. They were provided by the local population, but the authorities concerned have left them unused and unprotected. Exposed to unfavorable atmospheric conditions, the stones are rapidly crumbling, since most of them are of limestone.

ROADS TO BE PAVED -- Sofia Zemedelsko Zname, 5 Jul 50

According to a decision of the Sofia Municipal People's Soviet, the "Tolstoy" highway, an important artery, will be paved this season from the Lom highway to the "G. Dimitrov" rubber factory. Drainage on the road will be accomplished by open ditches. The section of the Sofiya-Marek road between the new and old Aleksandrovski bridges will also be paved.

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